

# Written for the Sunday Morning Bazaar. AN ODE TO MARCH.

BY ROSA PEARLE.

Oh March! oh blustering, blowing  
Of mighty din,  
Your noisy hosts beat at our doors—  
And will get in.  
Your reign was ever rude and rough,  
Your jests too free,  
Nor fraught with gentle nature's smile  
Of harmony.  
One day, you tamper with the frost,  
The next the snow;  
Or else give out a drizzling rain  
Where'er you go.  
Your temper's bad, old saucy month  
You seem to hate  
Alike the ones whose "ships at sea"  
Have come too late  
To keep the wolf of famine out  
From their low doors,  
And they to whom—with strange success—  
Great wealth just pours.  
You'd best behave, there comes a time  
Of violets blue,  
And ox-eyed daisies o'er the meads,  
A moist with dew,  
And dandelions, hidden half  
Within the grass,  
Like golden stars to light the way,  
For spring to pass.  
And lilacs buds and clover tops,  
And hum of bees,  
And apple blossoms dashed with pink  
And tasseled trees,  
And all those things that April brings  
To bless us quite—  
So March! oh March, you'll be forgot  
—and serve you right.

## SOCIETY NEWS.

[Any items of interest suitable for this department, from Sedalia or neighboring places, are respectfully solicited. We want a vivid, active and cheerful lady corresponding in all the neighboring towns tributary to Sedalia. Address all such communications to Rosa Pearle, society reporter, Bazaar office, Sedalia, Mo.]

**SEDALIA.**  
As spring approaches, "her light feet tripping in," there is not much in the social world to elicit profound interest. The major part of its devotees are engaged in the all-absorbing topic of clothes. New bonnets, new dresses, new everything the feminine heart craves, and there is much studying of styles, both in materials and make-up. These first balmy, languorous, wooing early spring days—who wants to go out in last winter's heavy dolmans, veiled skirts and beaver hats? "Nobody that is anybody," and consequently dress-makers are being consulted, last year's wardrobe overhauled with a view to combination effects, and pater familias cajoled unceasingly for the means to replenish a depleted pocketbook. While thus busily engaged, society remains in statu quo, and, with but few exceptions, leaves almost next to nothing for the faithful reporter to chronicle.

—Mrs. Frank Lauber is visiting friends in St. Louis.  
—Rev. Heinlein and wife visited Boonville last week.  
—Miss Mattie Field is visiting a sick sister at Knobnoster.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Clark, of Warsaw, were in this city last week.  
—Miss Bessie Hall, of Lamonte, was in Sedalia last Wednesday.  
—Mrs. J. W. McConnell and son are visiting friends in St. Louis.  
—Miss Lizzie Wiles, of Lamonte, visited friends in this city last week.  
—Mrs. John De Long and children are visiting friends in Brownsville.  
—Frank Meyers is Sundaying with his country sweetheart at Lamonte.  
—Mrs. W. D. Rembert, of Brownsville, was in this city last Wednesday.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Willard Meyers have returned from their wedding tour.  
—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hall, of Lamonte, were in this city Wednesday last.  
—Mr. Wm. McNulty visited W. A. McNulty, of Boonville, last week.  
—Miss Ollie Shively has been spending the past week with friends in Lamonte.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Ahlers, of Morgan county, are visiting friends in this city.  
—Mrs. Maria Sherer, of Madison, O., left for her home last Tuesday evening.

—A number of coffees and other entertainments are spoken of in the near future.  
—Miss Allen, assisted by her class, will give a musical entertainment on the 30th inst.

—Mrs. Emma Volrath, of Boonville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Haynes, in this city.  
—Rev. and Mrs. Axley are stopping with the family of Judge Bray in this city.

—Miss Mollie Bronaugh, of Clinton, visited Mrs. Steele for a few days last week.  
—Mrs. C. E. Evans, of Sedalia, was visiting in Boonville last week.—Boonville Topic.

—Mrs. Dr. Snoddy, sr., and Mr. Fred. Snoddy, of Lamonte, were in this city last Friday.  
—Miss Mary Bunce, of Boonville, is spending a few days with her friend, Mattie Parker.

—Miss L. Arnold, of Smithton formerly, at present of Sedalia, will attend the business college.

—Hon. T. F. Houston and wife, of Houstonia, visited their relatives in this city last week.

—Mrs. S. B. Polley, of Burlington, Kansas, is the guest of Mrs. A. C. Marvin, on Seventh street.

—Mrs. D. C. Stone, of Warsaw, passed through this city on her way to Clinton last Wednesday.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Flynt, of Sedalia, are visiting Mrs. John Taubman and family.—Lexington Register.

—Misses Lulu Ostrom, of Independence, passed through this city on her way to Clinton last Friday evening.  
—Mrs. J. W. Truxel is contemplating a visit in the near future to old friends in Pittsburg and other points in the east.

—Mrs. W. W. Slaughter and her daughter, Miss May, left for their future home in Toledo, Ohio, last Monday evening.

—The Lota Societas will meet at Mrs. J. W. Pilkington's, on Main street, to-morrow (Monday) evening.

—Miss Mattie and Jennie Hughes visited Houstonia, last week, and attended the Porter and Card wedding.

—The Christian church people will combine music, elocution and instructive teachings at their meetings this evening.

—Mrs. Fred. Wann, after a pleasant visit with Mrs. J. M. Clute, on Broadway, returned to her home in St. Louis last Thursday.

—Miss Emma Davis came home from a protracted visit to St. Louis last week, and will sing, this morning, in the choir of the First Presbyterian church.

—Miss Julia Walshe, of Albany, N. Y., en route to her home from Omaha, Neb., is visiting her brother, George W. Walshe, M. M. Missouri Pacific, of this city.

—Miss Callie Clark, a handsome and accomplished young lady of Marshall, Mo., is visiting friends and relatives in this city. She will probably remain several weeks.

—The Methodist folks of East Sedalia gave a supper at the residence of Mrs. Mathews, last Friday, which was much enjoyed and resulted in a neat sum of money.

—Miss Zering, who has been visiting at Col. Eddy's, on Seventh street for some time, accompanied by her friend, Miss Campbell, of Chicago, left last Tuesday for a visit to Shreveport, La.

—The wedding of Miss Mollie McReory and Mr. Albert McAllister took place last Thursday evening. A large number of invited guests were present and the presents were unique and costly.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Thompson and children returned last Monday evening from Hot Springs, Ark., where they have been for the past two months. All were much improved in health.

—A lovely little lady is stopping at the corner of Sixth and Kentucky streets. She is young, but as sweet and pure as the heart of a daisy, and as she calls Mr. and Mrs. John Kulmer "mamma" and "papa," she will remain an indefinite period.

—J. S. Landes, who is well known as a "masher" of pocket books, as well as hearts, requests all his lady friends to cast a ballot in his favor during the forth-coming election, as he is quite sure the aldermanic purple will suit his elephantine proportions "too too" sweet for anything.

—The entertainment given by the young ladies at the Christian church last Tuesday evening was very successful both in the attendance and the enjoyment obtained from it. The exercises consisted of literary and musical pleasantly interspersed with refreshments. The receipts were over \$50.

—Mr. John W. Porter and Miss Mollie Card were united in marriage last Wednesday evening, at 7 o'clock, near Houstonia. Thursday morning the mother of the groom gave them an elegant reception at her residence, four miles west of Houstonia. As the parties are well known in this city, the above will be of interest.

—Miss Ella Beck, of this city, has been selected by Prof. John Launna, of the Baptist college at Lexington, where Miss Ella has for some time been a pupil, to perform a piano solo at the concert to be given at Coates' opera house, Kansas City, on the 29th inst. Miss Ella deserves the honor, as she is an accomplished artist.

—A number of the most industrious society young ladies are engaged in the time-honored work of "quilt piecing." Miss Belle Hall and Miss Clara Allen have almost completed lovely silk ones, in the shape of hexagon. There will be embroidered center pieces and much exquisite shading in the hues. Many of their gentlemen friends have contributed souvenirs in the shape of neckties.

—An exceedingly pleasant surprise was that tendered to Miss Polly Newton, at the residence of her brother, Mr. Thomas Newton, corner of Osage and Tenth streets, last Wednesday evening, by a number of her young friends. The hostess—Mrs. Newton—had arranged the affair and in consequence had elegant refreshments of cakes, fruits, etc., prepared, to which the guests did ample justice. Miss Polly, although "surprised," was much pleased and a very pleasant evening was had by all. Present were: Misses Maggie Smith, Laura Bichel, Carrie Young, Alice Hunt, Ida Murray, Anne Evans, Mattie Wouack and Messrs. Ed. Feutz, Otis Smith, Earnest Heaton, Farnham, Charlie Clark, Will Young and Frank Gent.

**LUNCHEON.**  
Mrs. J. M. Offield, assisted by Mrs. Cloney and Misses May, Bettie and Nannie Gentry, entertained a large number of young ladies at luncheon yesterday afternoon. It was served exquisitely, and consisted of cakes, creams, fruits, etc. Present were Misses Sallie Potter, Alice Parker, Ollie Depp, Allie King, Gertrude and Mabel Van Camp, Ella Porter, Clara Allen, Lou and Fannie Barnes, Cora Demuth, Bettie Ross, Retta Pilkington, Collins, of Texas; Hortense Phillips, Hattie Marvin, Allie Chappellear, Belle Hall, Lizzie Lampton.

**DINNER PARTY.**  
Mrs. J. M. Offield, assisted by Misses Mary and Bettie Gentry, departed from the usual "coffee," five o'clock teas, etc., and gave a number of their gentlemen friends a pleasant and enjoyable dinner party last Friday evening. Everything pertaining to its menu and service was tasteful and unique, and the guests united in giving it unlimited praise. There were present: T. H. Kebo, A. W. Waldron, of Fort Scott, J. C. McDonnell, R. T. Gentry, Ed. Igenfiritz, Ed. Houx, Russell Lemist, J. A. Lamy.

**ELEGANT RECEPTION.**  
The reception given at Mrs. Marvin's, assisted by her daughters, Mrs. B. B. Lyons and Miss Hattie Marvin, last Wednesday, is spoken of as being unexceptionably elegant in every detail. The large and handsomely arranged mansion of the hostess is particularly adapted to entertainments, and the one of last Wednesday was most enjoyable. The different tables, whereon the refreshments were served, presented marvelous effects of arrangement and taste in providing for the guests luxuries of meats, salads, cakes, confections and fruit. Each table was occupied by the guests in the following order: Mrs. Newkirk, Mrs. Beattie, Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Byler, Mrs. Potter, Mrs. May Edwards, Mrs. Hutchison, Mrs. Hain, Mrs. Ross, Miss Volrath of Boonville, Mrs. Marean, sr., Mrs. Sheldon, Mrs. Perry, Mrs. John Hall, Mrs. J. M. Clute, Mrs. Babcock, Mrs. Wann, Mrs. Walsley, Miss Mattie Sneed, Mrs. Don-

ohoe, Miss Mary Gentry, Misses Bettie and Nannie Gentry, Mrs. Cam Sneed, Misses Lizzie Lampton, Alice Parker, Collins of Texas, Clara Allen, Allie Ritter, Sallie Potter, Cora Demuth, Allie Chappellear, Belle Hall, Batterton, Stella Dean.  
There were in all over forty ladies present and the hours of the reception—from 3 o'clock until 7—were so pleasant that they seemed indeed winged!

## Society Elsewhere.

WARRENSBURG.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hunt are at home from a visit to the Lone Star state.  
—Miss Millie Gilpatrick, of Holden, is in the city visiting Miss Nellie Shockey.

—At the residence of the bride's parents, in this city, Sunday evening, March 19th, 1882, Mr. Charles B. Ming and Miss Josie Shockey were united in marriage. The wedding was very quiet, only a few of the relatives of the contracting parties being present. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left on a brief wedding tour to Kansas City and other points.

Among others, the bride was made the recipient of the following named presents: Set solitaire diamonds, groom; bed room set, Mr. James Ming; china set, mother of the groom; silver cake basket, Mrs. James Montgomery, of Sedalia; silver casket, Mr. and Mrs. Kinsel; silver jewel casket, Mr. Phil. Ming; silver salt stand, Mrs. Calvin; China tea set, Mrs. Jim Ming; easy chair, Mr. T. B. Montgomery; French rocker, Mr. Jim. Ming; Japanese chamber set, Misses Nellie Rogers and Laura Redford; silver pickle casket, Miss Kate Shockey.

The happy pair arrived in Marshall Monday evening and were given a brilliant reception at Ming's hotel by the brother of the groom, James W. Ming, the proprietor.

HARRISONVILLE.

—Thomas Bainbridge was down shaking hands with old friends last week.  
—Miss Emma B. Hawk, of Kansas City, is visiting the family of John Egg and Mr. Feater, of this city.

—Mrs. Johnson improved enough to be able to accompany her daughter, Mrs. Parker, who lives in Kansas, home last week, where she will stay for several weeks.

—A. W. Young and lady, of Danville, Ill., are visiting the family of Capt. Hall, of this city. Mr. Young is an attorney-at-law and is out for a little rest and recreation.

VERMILION.

—Miss Addie Hoover, of Gettysburg, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Col. Stover.  
—Little Sue Spurlock returned last week from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Dr. Keiffer, of Cole Camp.

—Miss Laura Harness, of New Palestine, Cooper, county visited Mrs. J. W. Tucker several days last week.

—Wilhelm Amende, of Saxony, Germany, arrived with his family in this city last week, and has located on the Gravois, near his old friend Fred Seifert.

—Mrs. Samuel Tillipit, of Reading, Kansas, accompanied by her little daughter, was in the city last week visiting her husband, the gentlemanly railroad agent at this place.

BOONVILLE.

—Mrs. D. C. Wing has been spending this week at the City hotel.  
—Capt. Jos. Kinney, jr., was at home visiting his parents this week.

—Miss Katie Diercks, of Jefferson City, was visiting friends in this city this week.  
—Miss Minnie Shauntee, of Overton, is in the city visiting her uncle, Z. W. Woolbridge.

—Miss Mittie Stephens has been visiting the family of Mrs. H. E. Depp, at Sedalia, recently.

—Miss Marion Vickers, of Montrose, Henry county, is visiting the family of A. W. Petty this week.

—Miss Birdie Brent left for St. Louis Friday morning to visit her aunts, Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Edwards.

—Misses Mattie Agnew, of Howard, and Beatrice Smith, of Randolph county, are visiting at Capt. R. H. Howard's, this city.

—Mrs. R. W. Whitlow, of this city, and her sister, Miss Linnie Rochester, of Olathe, Kansas, have been visiting Mrs. J. W. Conner, at Sedalia, this week.

—Miss Beatrice Smith, from Mount Ayr, Randolph county, and Miss Mattie Agnew, of Howard county, are visiting the family of Captain R. H. Howard, of this city.

—Mrs. H. Sykes, of Kansas City, accompanied by Earnest Paillon, of the Sedalia business college, arrived in the city on Saturday last and are visiting the family of E. Paillon, of this place.

—Will Estill, of Howard, is in Kentucky attending the Estill centennial. He is a great grandson of Captain James Estill, who fell at the battle of Little Mountain, the hundredth anniversary of which they celebrated last Monday, 20th inst.

LEXINGTON.

—Mrs. M. W. Tate has gone to Virginia on a visit.

—Miss Allie Starke, of Dover, is visiting Miss Lillie Jamison.

—Mrs. E. C. Shankland has gone to Oas, Iowa, on a visit.

—Mr. Ben. V. Simpson, of Winona, Minnesota, is visiting Mr. Shankland, of this city.

—Miss Fannie Fulkerson, of Jerseyville, Ill., who is visiting friends in this city, has returned from a short visit to the country.

FAYETTE.

—Mr. John Nanson, of Brunswick, Mo., is visiting friends in Fayette.

—Miss Laura Mitchell, who has been on a visit to Jefferson City, returned Monday.

—Miss Jennie Rucker returned a few days ago from a visit to Henry county, Mo.

—Mrs. C. B. Cawthron, of Valley Falls, Kansas, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. J. Walden.

—Miss Frankie Colburn, of Lee's Summit, and Misses Kate Conder and Minnie Brown, of Waverly, are guests of Mrs. Yancey, in this city.

—Mrs. Anderson, wife of Prof. J. T. Anderson, of Central College Faculty, returned Saturday from a protracted visit to Little Rock, Arkansas.

—Miss Della Campbell, who has been teaching school at "Cedar Grove," near Franklin, returned home Saturday, accompanied by Miss Tillie Jordan, one of Franklin's belles.

MARSHALL.

—St. Patrick's ball was largely attended last Friday evening, and the affair proved very enjoyable.

—Mrs. David Wood and Leslie E. Wood, her son, from Franklin county, are on a visit to John W. Ming and mother. Mrs. Wood is a sister of the late W. O. Ming.

—The M. M. society met on Tuesday evening at the residence of Mrs. Johnnie Collier. All were agreeably entertained by the amiable and accomplished hostess, Miss Clara Myze.

MOBERLY.

—Mrs. Bob Newton, of Cairo, was in this city Thursday last.

—Mrs. Jas. A. Rungton left last Wednesday night for Eureka Springs.

—Miss Stella Reynolds, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Campbell, of this city, left last night for her home in Clarks-ville.

—Miss Murray, of Wilkes-barre, Pa., who has been visiting Mrs. F. Miller, of this city, is now visiting her brother in St. Joseph.

—There was a merry party of friends gathered at the residence of Mr. G. A. Brace on Monday, to celebrate the fourteenth birthday of his daughter Nora. Miss Nora received many presents from her friends. Among those present we noticed: Mr. Eddie Brown, Miss Addie Lipscomb; Charlie Love, Miss Sophie Barnes; Andrew Little, Miss Mossie Scott; Eddie McCandless, Miss Annie Brown, Georgie Dew and many others.

PLEASANT HILL.

—Marion Jackson, esq., and wife, of Warrensburg, came up last week, to see friends and attend the meeting at the Christian church.

—Miss Callie Tate and children, of Miami, and brother, R. C. Cordell, of Kansas City, were at home to attend the marriage of their sister and Mr. Russell.

—Masters Frank and Charley Boving reached home from their grandfather Boving's, Lancaster, Ohio, last Thursday, to be at the marriage of their mother to Mr. Harvey Russell.

—Mr. W. P. Hunt and family, of Warrensburg, arrived here Friday morning last, en route home from a trip down in Texas of several weeks. He left Saturday, while his family remained at her father's, Jesse McFarland, esq., until Monday.

RICH HILL.

—Miss Cora Barter, of Nevada, was in the city last week.

—N. R. Powell and wife were guests at the Talmage house Monday and Tuesday.

—Mrs. Strickland, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, sister of Mr. Tom Clark, is the guest of Mrs. J. T. Weathers.

—W. J. Ward and his lady friends, Mrs. Lucy Poulter and Miss M. Poulter, of Vernon county, were in this city last week.

—Miss Laura Creasey, one of our west end belles, started for her former home, Norborne, Mo., last Sunday morning on a visit.

—Miss Mollie Haze, of Omaha, Neb., has been in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hopkins, on Walnut street. The lady returned to her Nebraska home, Monday, well pleased with our youthfulness.

CLINTON.

—Miss Nannie Bush went home to Calhoun Friday morning.

—Miss Ella Renfro is attending the business college in Sedalia.

—Miss Katie Boyston, of Nevada, was in town the first of the week.

—James Bradley and wife returned to Eldorado Springs yesterday.

—Miss Theresa Gunther, of Montrose, has gone to visit friends in Illinois.

—Mrs. G. F. Mitchell, of Lucas, passed through this city Tuesday on her way to St. Louis.

—Miss Mollie Bronaugh, of this county, has been visiting friends at Hannibal, Fayette and Sedalia.

—Mr. R. A. Levy and family have returned to this county from Bolivar, where they went last September.

—Miss Anna Snyder, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Sedalia for some weeks past, returned home last week.

—Mrs. James Watkins, of Osceola, who has been visiting her relatives in this city for the past week returned home Tuesday.

—Mrs. I. N. Jones accompanied Mrs. E. V. Buchanan to Sedalia Friday morning, where the latter will make her future home.

—Mrs. Jenkins, who has been visiting friends in and around Clinton for some time, returned home to LaDue Saturday evening.

—Mrs. Middelcoff went up to Montrose Sunday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Charlie Gathright, who accompanied her home Monday evening.

—B. R. Lingle, of Windsor, accompanied by his two daughters, Misses Belle and Lee, came up Sunday morning to visit relatives and friends.

—Mr. H. Hart, from London, England, an acquaintance of Miss Agnes Cruce, is stopping in the city, enjoying himself and forming new acquaintances.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nat Duncan passed through Clinton Monday morning on their way to Chicago, where they will make their home in the future.

—Miss Winnie Weston, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Thad. Barcafer, for several months, returned to her home in Southwest Colorado, starting along with her father.

—Miss Emma Stevenson, who has been visiting her brother, C. H. Stevenson, since November last, returned to her home in Monticello, Iowa, last Thursday, taking with her a little three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson's. Miss Emma's health, which was quite poor upon her arrival in this city, was much improved by her stay.

BROWNVILLE.

—Mr. Jas. Marr, of Lafayette, was in town last week.

MEXICO.

—Mrs. Dr. Macfarland has been visiting in Marshall.

—Mrs. Anna E. Beck was in town on a visit this week.

—Mrs. D. Ready has returned from a visit to St. Louis.

—Miss Annie Haffards will spend Sunday in this city.

—Miss Mollie Bennett was visiting in Fulton last week.

—W. T. Keath and family have moved to Emporia, Kansas.

—Miss Mamie Rines has returned from a visit to St. Louis.

—Miss Olivia Hord returned Monday from a visit to Fulton.

—Mrs. R. B. Hooton has returned from a pleasant visit to Wellsville.

—Mrs. McCarty is visiting in St. Louis, from which point she will go to Washington City.

—P. H. Ganti and wife, of Martinsburg, were visiting the family of J. M. Menefee this week.

—P. B. Bell and wife, of Ashley, Mo., have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. P. Blanton.

—Mrs. Phil Hocker, of Centralia, who has been visiting Miss Lizzie Clark, returned home this week.

—Wallace Pearson gave his friends a very pleasant party at his home just north of town last Friday night.

—K. M. Robinson went up to Clark's switch Wednesday to see his sister, Mrs. Angel, who is dangerously ill.

—The Home club gave a jolly dance at the Ringo house last Friday night. An Italian band furnished the music.

—Mrs. J. E. Harrison and Mrs. Robert Buckner, of Callaway county, have been visiting the family of T. E. Buckner, of this city.

—Mrs. Addie Erisman returned last week from a very pleasant visit of two weeks to her sister, Mrs. Hortie Collins, in Columbia.

—Miss Lena Wooten, who has been visiting Miss Annie Spence, left for Columbia last Tuesday, and after a short stay in that city, will return to her home in Russellville, Ky.

—The neekie sociable at the Liberty street M. E. church, last Monday night, was a very enjoyable and successful entertainment. Such affairs are very sociable and pleasant and give tone to the society of a town.

**KINGSVILLE.**  
—Mr. C. B. Hall and family are visiting relatives in Windsor.

—Miss Dima Payton is visiting relatives in Harrisonville, Mo.

—Miss Susie Inskip has the praise of being the best organist in the city.

—Mrs. Myers, of Jefferson City, is visiting her mother and friends at Kingsville on the 20th inst., for Sedalia, from thence to Indian Nation.

—Mr. George Snyder accompanied by his mother and brother, will leave for Colorado, Thursday next. We wish them a happy future. Wish Al could take his girl.

—The Baptist sisters' sewing society met at the residence of Mrs. Glen last Thursday. Among those present were Mesdames Carpenter, Valentine, Baker, Mills and King, and Misses Mattie Thompson and Laura Glass. The proceeds go towards building a church.

**SLATER.**  
—D. C. Knoderer, formerly of Mexico, Mo., will be found at A. R. Bybee's.

—Mrs. Frank Blackman is visiting with friends and relation sat Cedar City.

—S. T. Sprinkle and family remained with friends in town during last Sunday.

—Mrs. Mary C. Hoscoe, of St. Louis, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. P. DePew, of Slater.

—Mrs. Chas. Stone has gone to Alton, for a visit of several weeks among her parents and friends.

—Mrs. Foote, wife of our celebrated Commodore Foote, of C. & A. fame, arrived in Slater Saturday night and remained until Monday.

**VANDALIA.**  
—Miss Mollie Litter is visiting in Mexico.

—Mrs. K. K. Humphrey went to Louisiana Monday.

—Mrs. Cash Blackburn went to Louisiana Monday to visit her parents.

—Mrs. Geo. W. Daniel returned Monday from a visit to her parents at Ashley.

—Dr. Arthur Pharr and Charley May, of Clarksville, spent Sunday in this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Myers, of Mexico, were visiting here last Saturday and Sunday.

—Mrs. A. D. Riggs, of Ashley, came up Friday to visit Mr. Henry Smith and family.